

through forfeiting such peanuts by delivering such peanuts to the marketing association for the area where the peanuts were produced and in accordance with instructions issued by the marketing association if:

(1) Such person is not an eligible producer; and

(2) Such person does not have a contract with a handler to purchase such peanuts for crushing or exportation.

(c) *Interest due.* A producer who pledges peanuts as collateral for a price support loan at the additional loan rate shall refund the loan advance on such peanuts with interest if, subsequent to the time the peanuts are pledged for the loan, it is brought to the attention of the marketing association that such person is not an eligible producer. Interest shall be due:

(1) At the same interest rate that was applicable on funds borrowed from CCC by the marketing association on the date the loan was disbursed.

(2) From the date the loan was disbursed to the date of repayment.

§ 1446.306 Commingling of peanuts.

To facilitate handling and marketing, unless prohibited by a handler's storage contract with the marketing association, a handler may store farmers stock loan peanuts on a commingled basis with peanuts owned by such handler if such peanuts are of like crop, type, area, and segregation.

(a) *Accounting for commingled peanuts.* Except for peanuts purchased from CCC for domestic edible use on an in-grade and in-weight basis, commingled peanuts shall be exchanged on a dollar value basis. Accordingly, when loan peanuts are removed from the warehouse they must be inspected as farmers stock peanuts by an inspector and accounted for on a dollar value, based on the quota loan rate, less a one-time adjustment for shrinkage for each crop.

(b) *Dollar value shrinkage adjustment.* For peanuts that are graded out and accounted for:

(1) Before February 1 of the applicable marketing year, the adjustment of the dollar value for shrinkage shall be:

(i) 3.5 percent for Virginia-type peanuts; and

(ii) 3.0 percent for all other peanuts.

(2) After January 31 of the applicable marketing year, the adjustment of the dollar value for shrinkage shall be:

(i) 4.0 percent for Virginia-type peanuts; and

(ii) 3.5 percent for all other peanuts.

(c) *Maintaining copies of the FSA-1007's.* The handler shall maintain a copy of each form FSA-1007 that was issued for any peanuts that are placed in commingled storage and that is issued for any peanuts removed from storage.

(d) *Good commercial practice.* The handler shall receive, store and deliver all such peanuts in accordance with good commercial practice and any instructions provided by CCC.

§ 1446.307 Disaster transfer of Segregation 2 or Segregation 3 peanuts from additional loan to quota loan.

(a) *Transfer of Segregation 2 and Segregation 3 peanuts.* Except as otherwise provided in this section, after a producer has completed marketing all peanuts produced on the farm, such producer may transfer a loan on Segregation 2 or Segregation 3 additional peanuts to a quota loan.

(b) *Limitation of amount eligible for transfer.* A transfer made in accordance with this section shall not exceed the smaller of:

(1) The difference between:

(i) The total quantity of Segregation 1 peanuts marketed from the farm, plus the amount of peanuts retained on the farm for seed or other use, and

(ii) The effective farm poundage quota, excluding quota pounds transferred to the farm in the fall; or

(2) Twenty-five percent of the effective farm poundage quota, excluding quota pounds transferred to the farm in the fall.

(c) *Offset of CCC losses.* As provided in this part, if a producer transfers an additional loan to a quota loan in accordance with the provisions of this section, any pool proceeds otherwise due such producer from peanuts in another pool shall be reduced by the amount of any losses to CCC on the peanuts so transferred.

(d) *Loan value for transferred peanuts—(1) Segregation 2 peanuts.* The quota loan value for any lot of Segregation 2 peanuts transferred from an

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additional loan to a quota loan shall be determined by multiplying 70 percent of the quota loan rate that otherwise would have been applicable for such lot of peanuts as quota peanuts, exclusive of any discount for damaged kernels, by the net weight of peanuts being transferred and deducting from the result the amount of any special discount that may apply for Segregation 2 peanuts transferred in accordance with this section.

(2) *Segregation 3 peanuts.* The quota loan value for any lot of Segregation 3 peanuts transferred from an additional loan to a quota loan shall be determined by multiplying 70 percent of the quota loan rate that otherwise would have been applicable for such lot of peanuts as quota peanuts, exclusive of any discount for damaged kernels, by the net weight of peanuts being transferred and deducting from the result the amount of any special discount that may apply for Segregation 3 peanuts transferred in accordance with this section.

(e) *Transfer provisions*—(1) *Where to apply.* Producers who are eligible to transfer additional loan peanuts to the quota loan pool in accordance with the provisions of this section may apply for such transfers with the county FSA office.

(2) *Determination of the amount eligible for transfer.* The county office shall determine, in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section, the quantity of additional peanuts which are eligible for transfer.

(3) *Designation of peanuts to be transferred.* The producer must indicate to the county office the net weight and applicable form FSA-1007 serial numbers for the peanuts to be transferred.

(4) *Applicability of marketings.* Any peanuts that are transferred from an additional loan to a quota loan shall be considered as marketings of quota peanuts and the applicable records shall be appropriately adjusted.

(f) *Supplemental loan payment.* The difference between the additional and quota loan rates for such peanuts, less the appropriate adjustment for the marketing assessment, shall be ad-

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vanced by the marketing association to the applicable producer.

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§ 1446.308 Loan pools.

(a) *Establishment of pools.* (1) Each marketing association shall establish six separate loan pools; one for each of the three segregations of additional peanuts and one for each of the three segregations for quota peanuts. These pools shall be formed without regard to the type of peanuts (Runner, Virginia, Spanish, or Valencia) involved. However, the SWPGA shall also establish 12 separate loan pools for Valencia peanuts produced in New Mexico, namely, for bright hull peanuts and for dark hull peanuts separately, to include for each of them separate, by segregation, additional peanuts and quota peanuts pools. Each marketing association shall maintain separate, complete and accurate records for each loan pool that is established by the marketing association.

(2) *Eligibility to participate in New Mexico Pools*—(i) *In general.* Except as provided in clause (a)(2)(ii) of this section, in the case of the 1996 and subsequent crops, Valencia peanuts not physically produced in the State of New Mexico shall not be eligible to participate in the pools of the State even if the farm on which the peanuts are produced is constituted for administrative purposes within the State of New Mexico.

(ii) *Exception.* A producer of Valencia peanuts may enter Valencia peanuts that are physically produced in Texas into the pools for New Mexico in a quantity not greater than the average annual quantity of the peanuts that the producer entered into the New Mexico pools for the 1990 through 1995 crops; however, to qualify, the peanuts must be produced on the same farm on which the peanuts were produced during the base years of 1990 through 1995.

(b) *Net gains for quota pools.* Net gains from peanuts in each quota pool shall consist of the amount by which the proceeds from the sale of the peanuts in such pool are in excess of the indebtedness on the peanuts in such pool.